**Meeting of the Session**

**Valley Presbyterian Church, Brookfield CT**

**January 16, 2018 ~ 6 PM**

6:00 PM **Gathering**

Adopt Docket & Accept Reports, Approve Consent Motion Cheryl Freeston

Joys and Concerns/opening prayer Rev. Adele Crawford

6:10 PM **Election of Church Officers for 2018** Adele

Clerk of Session -- Cheryl Freeston

Financial Secretary – Allison Gianazza

Treasurer – Jon Birdsall

Assistant Treasurer – Terri Flanagan

6:20 PM **Old Business**

Stewardship update Jon

Communication Strategy update Meg

6:40 PM **New Business**

Paid Parental Leave Overture Adele

*We are being asked to concur with FPC New Haven*

Mental Health Overture Adele

*We are being asked to concur with the Presbytery of Mission (TX)*

Proposal for VPC’s participation in Harvey Relief project Colin

7:15 PM **Examination of New Elders and Deacons** All

Mike Garcia and Meg Gill, elders

Peg Daley and Lynne Marlis, deacons

7:50 PM **Sending**

To Do list All

*Who is following up on what action items or needs?*

Review of EOM assignments and communion servers Cheryl

Review of meeting dates for the year Cheryl & Adele

Thank you to Judy and David

Adjournment & Closing Prayer Adele Adele